

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Applicants : Mark C. Schmidt et al.

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Title: AUTOMATICALLY ACTIVATED LASER SCANNING 2D

BAR CODE SYMBOL READING SYSTEM

Examiner : Ahshik Kim

Group Art Unit : 2876

Attorney Docket No.: 108-194USAND0

Honorable Commissioner

of Patents and Trademarks

Washington, D.C. 20231

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED SEPTEMBER 23, 2005

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 23, 2005, Applicants hereby submit the following amendments to the same: